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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, Office of External Affairs

FROM:

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Legislative Liaison Division

SUBJECT: Defense Bill

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I briefly discussed the results of the Defense Bill with Jim this morning. He informed me that he had gotten word we may try to put [Redacted] back in full Committee. Therefore, he, Addabbo and Robinson were fully prepared to defend their position. Further, he said we could really get ourselves in trouble if we attempt to bring up the amendment on the House floor. At this point we should concentrate on working the conferees. They have not been officially announced. MX will be a political battle but the bill should pass.

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